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Letterbox



Send your lively letters to 'Letterbox', *Viz* Comic, 16 Lily Crescent, Newcastle upon Tyne NE2 2SP. There's a prize for every letter we print, usually.

Your telly tributes

My telly fave is Russell Harty. His rugged good looks and gravelly voice never fail to make my trouser's 'russell' and leave me 'harty'.

How about printing a photo for us 'Tarty' fans?

Steve Manthorpe
Bradford

*Sorry Steve. We can't find one.

I turn on the telly every twenty minutes, hoping to catch a glimpse of cuddly heart throb TV meat farmer Bernard Matthews, during the commercial breaks. With his beefy good looks and porky figure, he never fails to leave me roasting at the joints.

Mrs. G. Leyburn
Oxford

Back shelf driver

Last week I had an appointment to see my dentist. I got into my car in plenty of time to make the 15 minute drive to his surgery. Three hours later I was startled to find that I still hadn't arrived.

It was only then that I realised I had been lying across the parcel shelf at the time! Luckily both my dentist and myself saw the funny side!

Mr. D. Watson
Scotland

I called in our local GP when my husband ceased to be his happy-go-lucky self recently. Imagine my surprise when he informed me that my husband had been dead for over a year. However, this cleared up the mystery of why he left his turkey last Christmas.

Mrs. Enid Hemp
March

The other day whilst eating a fish supper my father, who is 85, got a bone stuck in his throat. We had to take him to hospital to have it removed.

We are often warned of the dangers of fireworks, heroin etc. But they never tell you about the dangers of eating fish.

Mrs. G. W.
Camberwell

Who said estate agents don't read *Viz*? Certainly not my dad. He's been an estate agent for over 20 years, and he rarely misses a copy.



As you can see from his photo, breakfast wouldn't be the same without it!

A.M.
Cornwall

*Are you an estate agent who reads *Viz*? Or perhaps you know one who does. Write and tell us about it. Write to: 'Estate Agents Who Read *Viz*', *Letterbox*, *Viz* Comic, *Viz* House, 16 Lily Crescent, Newcastle upon Tyne, NE2 2SP. There's a free set of postcards for the best letter.

After such disappointing performances from our British teams in the World Cup this summer, it's encouraging to see a British side top of Division One.

Mr. S. Shaw
Heswall

While in a supermarket doing my weekly shopping I was given a very nice plastic bag to put my groceries in. This proved very handy as I had forgotten to bring a shopping bag.

I'd like to say 'thankyou' to the kind shop assistant concerned. Wouldn't it be nice if other shops adopted this idea.

Mrs. P. Foster
Consett

Army mix-up

During World War II I was stationed in Northern France shortly after D Day. I was feeling lonely and depressed and unhappy at being a soldier, so I went to speak to my sergeant who said "Go and speak to the Army chaplain". Unfortunately I misheard him and thought he said "speak to Charlie Chaplain", so I took a flight to Hollywood that day.

Luckily for me when they found me the Military Police saw the funny side, and it took the firing squad a good twenty minutes to stop laughing.

Harold Bibston
Leeds Military Cemetery

READERS' TopTIPS

I find that an old Cornflakes box filled with small stones or pebbles makes an ideal paper-weight or a handy door stopper.

Mrs. M.
Liverpool

A handy gardening tip I learnt from my father is to build a fence or wall inbetween your garden and that of your next door neighbour. You can refer to this wall or fence to find out where your garden ends and your neighbour's begins.

A.P.
Bridlington

At bath time I always like to have two or three empty Cornflakes boxes with me in the bathroom. They would be most useful for bailing out water from the bath in the event of the taps jamming and the plug becoming stuck in the hole.

Mrs. M.
Liverpool



Dear Doris

This morning, whilst dusting around the house, I fell down the stairs lacerating my arm badly on a broken vase. I have lost several pints of blood and am fading in and out of consciousness. I suspect also that I may have a badly broken leg. Do you have any advice?

K.M., Harlow

Yes. Try ringing the emergency services. They provide a first rate police, fire and ambulance service. Why not try the latter as you may find professional medical attention would be of help to you. You can get in touch with the emergency services by ringing 999.

THE DAY OF THE TRIFFIDS



Roger Kish '88

'I WILL RAISE THE TITANIC' says Tynemouth man

A TYNEMOUTH man hopes to achieve the impossible — and raise the wreck of the Titanic from the watery grave where it has rested for over 70 years.

WRECK

For Albert Gubbins, 48, an unemployed lifeguard, believes he has located the wreck, 800 yards west of Tynemouth on Britain's North East coast.

EVIDENCE

Despite recent evidence that seemed to suggest the Titanic lay two and a half miles beneath the Atlantic ocean west of the Florida coast, Mr Gubbins is convinced that the ill fated passenger liner came to rest in the North Sea, almost 5,000 miles from its last reported position. And he intends to prove it by bringing the ship to the surface with the help of a £10 million grant from the Manpower Services Commission.



THE SEA

"They must have been off course due to the bad weather", Mr Gubbins told us from his home in Peartree Gardens, North Shields. "But the ship is in good condition, and I hope to have it open as a floating disco by Christmas. It will be a terrific boost for tourism in the area".

DOG

Mr. Gubbins last made the news in 1981 when he discovered a fleet of German U-boats laden with stolen art treasures while out walking his dog on the beach at Whitley Bay.

Holiday Horror

The planned holiday of a lifetime turned out to be a fiasco for Fulchester builder Alf Brown and his family.

WHEN

For a sunshine stay in Spain soon began to spell Costa Del Chaos for the Browns.

"When we arrived our hotel hadn't been built yet", Alf told us. "So I decided to build our own rooms".

THEN

"It took me five days, then, just as we began moving in the manager told us we were double booked and asked us to leave".

"It was like Fawley Towers", said Alf afterwards.

LATER

Later, on his way to the airport, Alf was accidentally arrested by Spanish police and locked up in a cell for 14 days.

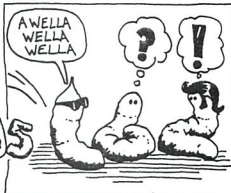
"I missed my flight and ended up paying an extra £250 to get back to Britain", said Alf, who paid £450 to a Fulchester travel agent for the holiday.

Not suprisingly Alf might be giving Spain a miss next time around. "I'll certainly be more careful when booking up next year", he told us.

Poor Quality Doctor Joke No 247



Rock n Roll dogturds



ARE YOU GOOD IN BED?



These days many couples are **TURNING OFF** to sex instead of turning on. And figures show that many of today's marital break ups actually begin between the sheets.

So we decided to set up a simple test in which the words 'sex' and 'make love' are repeated frequently.

And it gives you a chance to prove that Britain is not becoming a nation of lousy lovers. Simply answer each question A, B or C, then tot up your final score to reveal how you perform in the bedtime stakes.

- Your partner wants to make love but your favourite programme is on TV in ten minutes. Would you:
 - Tell them to wait until after the programme.
 - Agree to a quickie, and get it over with in time to watch TV.
 - Lie a rug on the floor by the fire, and make love slowly, facing the telly, so that you don't miss the programme.
- In the evening you feel like making love but your partner says they have a headache. Would you:
 - Make love regardless
 - Go out for a few drinks, then come back and make love to them.
 - Fetch your partner 2 paracetamol tablets, then wait for ten minutes or so before having sex.
- At the end of a romantic candle lit dinner your partner is keen to go to bed, but you haven't quite finished your ice cream. Would you:
 - Take the ice cream with you, and finish it in bed.
 - Leave the ice cream on the table, and hurry back to finish it after you have made love.
 - Put the ice cream in the fridge before you make love, and then offer some to your partner in the morning.
- You arrive home one evening to find your partner in bed with a stranger. How would

you react? Would you:

- Become violent, throwing one or both of them out of the house.
 - Go out for a few drinks, and come back later.
 - Get into the bed and go to sleep as if nothing was happening, and discuss it in the morning.
- You decide to read a book at bedtime. Which of the following choices would you prefer?
 - A cookery book or car repair manual.
 - A paperback novel.
 - A large illustrated book about sex.
 - At the height of your love making you realise that there is only one puff left in your cigarette. What would you do? Would you:
 - Get up and look for an ashtray.
 - Carry on, stubbing out the cigarette on a bed post.
 - Offer your partner the last puff while you go and find the ashtray.
 - While having sex you begin to feel hungry. What would your reaction be? Would you:
 - Stop, go out and buy yourself a chinese takeaway.
 - Stop and ask your partner if they would like a chinese takeaway.
 - Ring up and order a chinese takeaway, then collect it AFTER you have finished making love.
 - Your partner wants to make love but your bed has been sent away to be repaired. Would you:
 - Wait until the bed is returned.
 - Make love on the settee.
 - Ring a bed hire company and ask them to deliver a sexy four poster right away.
 - While on holiday you accidentally enter the wrong hotel room and begin to have sex with a stranger. Upon realising your mistake would you:
 - Hold tight and make the best of it.
 - Explain your error, apologise and quickly leave the room.
 - Ring your partner's room and ask them to come along and join in a sexy threesome.
 - Your partner complains that love making is no longer enjoyable. What would you do? Would you:
 - Ignore the remark, and continue as before.
 - Go out for a few drinks, and cut out sex altogether.

C. Give your partner a candle lit meal, have a shower together, put on a romantic record and make love at an unusual time of day (for instance during your lunch break), in front of a mirror, wearing a kinky revealing PVC play suit.

SCORING

A — 1 point, B — 2 points, C — 3 points

21 — 30: Ooh la la! Your steamy sex sessions make you a top scorer in the loving league.

11 — 20: Not bad, but more effort will get you better results in the sex championship.

10 or less: A poor performance. Unless you improve you'll get knocked out of the intercourse cup.

Bedroom Success!

If you are an utter and complete failure in bed, don't worry. There are many ways in which dismal sexual performers can find success in the bedroom.

SEX BOOK

In his latest book, 'An Expensive Book About Sex', leading expert on the subject Dr. Otto Waffle describes many ways by which we can discover the true pleasures of sex, with lots of pictures.

By taking the following tips you will find a great improvement in love making for both you and your partner.

● **MAKE** love on a bed, a settee or on a similar level surface.

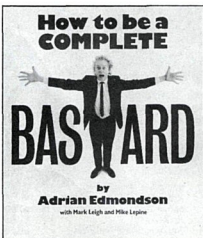
● **TAKE** all your clothes off beforehand.

● **EXPERIMENT** in bed with exciting love games. Try playing Scrabble or Monopoly before you make love.



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THREE MILLION SCROUNGERS ON THE FIDDLE

'It's happening all the time' says Mr. X

An unemployed Liverpool man has blown the lid off a massive social security benefit fraud which has been costing the nation millions.

And startling evidence which he is about to give could lead to the prosecution of millions of benefit scroungers.

SHOCKING

For the man, who prefers to remain anonymous, that shockingly revealed that a shocking eighty per cent of Britain's 4 million unemployed actually have jobs, and are claiming benefit illegally. And that suggests that a staggering 3 million scroungers are on the fiddle, leaving the Government with a weekly bill of £150 million in false benefit claims.

MILKMAN

"It goes on all the time", said our informant who we will refer to as Mr. X. "Everyone on our estate does it. The postman, the milkman—they all sign on and pick up dole money".

According to his figures there are fewer than 800,000 genuine unemployed people in Britain. Proof that the so-called 'unemployment problem' doesn't really exist.

HELICOPTERS

Indeed, taking into account 'fiddle' earnings, the standard of living in Britain's 'unemployment blackspots' has never been higher. "I know several blokes who are driven down to the dole in Rolls Royces", Mr. X. told us. "And a lot of the lads in the local pub own private helicopters. Another friend of mine who's been signing on for 12 years now owns a string of restaurants and a major hotel group", he added.

BOMBERS

We agreed to be blindfolded as Mr. X. took us to a block of flats somewhere in the Liverpool area where we were told the average income among residents, all of whom are unemployed, is £2,700 a week. There was no sign of prosperity

EXCLUSIVE

inside the building, but as our informant later told us, most of the money is spent on heroin or petrol bombs which are later thrown at the police.

KNOWN

Mr. X. supplied us with a list of well known professional footballers who he claims are currently receiving unemployment benefit. We were told that one player whose weekly earnings top the £3,000 mark, also receives £30.45 unemployment benefit.

And we were told of a foreign head of state who flies into Britain once a fortnight to sign on. According to our sources he then receives extra benefit payments to include the cost of his return air fare.

INSIDE

But perhaps the most astonishing example of benefit fraud is that of staff inside the Department of Employment who regularly walk to the other side of the counter and sign themselves on. "By signing two or three times a day they can make a massive £450 a week bonus in benefit payments", claimed Mr. X.

BOX 2

When we contacted our local Department of Employment office for a comment on these allegations a spokesman in Box 2 told us we were in the wrong queue.

"You'll have to press the bell at the enquiry window", he said.

Later, our informant Mr. X, who had agreed to give his evidence to the police, disappeared shortly after we had given him £2,000.

WE'VE GOTTA BOTTLE! AND WE'RE GIVING IT AWAY FREE!



We're giving away a pint of milk absolutely free to the winner of this fun to enter competition. All you have to do is answer these simple milk questions:

1. Milk contains which of the following chemicals?
 - a. Nitrogen
 - b. Aluminium
 - c. Calcium
2. Which animal do we get our milk from?
 - a. Tiger
 - b. Rhinoceros
 - c. Cow
3. Which of the following is made from milk?
 - a. Rubber
 - b. Teflon non-stick pans
 - c. Butter
4. Which famous cowboy featured in 'Milky Bar' TV commercials?
 - a. Butch Cassidy
 - b. The Milky Bar Kid
 - c. The Virginian

Then complete the following limerick. In the event of a draw the sender of the most original limerick will be awarded first prize.

"There was a young man who liked milk...

Send your answers and limerick, together with 500 milk bottle tops, to Viz Comic Milk Competition, Viz House, 16 Lily Crescent, Newcastle upon Tyne, NE2 2SP, to arrive in the post. The winner will be sent a pint of powdered milk substitute. The judges decision is final. This competition is not open to milkmen, their friends or relatives, or to dairy farmers and their employees.

YOUR FREE SHOPPING REMINDER

Cut out and place in a prominent position



Costa Catastrophe

A sunshine stay in the Mediterranean resort of Costa Blancos spelt catastrophe for a Manchester couple.

SANDWICHES

For Terry Thomson and his wife arrived in Spain only to be told that the resort didn't exist! And to make matters worse, the couple were forced to:

* **SLEEP** in a field next to the airport.

* **LIVE** on sandwiches left over from their flight.

PIES

"It all looked great in the brochure", said Terry, who paid £850 for a fortnight's

stay in the resort. "But we were told that the resort had been a printing error and that it didn't actually exist.

"It was like Fawcety Towers", he told us.

FRUIT CAKES

After two weeks in the open field the Thomson's returned home. "But the flight back landed at Glasgow by mistake and we ended up walking 200 miles to get home", said Terry.

APPLE TURNOVER

The Thomson's, who have written a letter of complaint to the travel agent, involved, plan to look up their resort on a map next year before they make any bookings.

CHEAP LAUGH COMICS
- PRESENT -

BUSTER GONAD

AND HIS
UNFEASIBLY
LARGE
TESTICLES

DURING AN ELECTRICAL STORM, BUSTER GONAD WAS STRUCK IN THE TESTICLES BY A METEORITE WHICH EMITTED STRANGE COSMIC RAYS....

.... HIS TESTICLES GREW TO TITANIC PROPORTIONS, AND HE WAS CONVINCED THAT THEY NOW POSSESSED STRANGE AND UNEXPLAINED POWERS....

ONE DAY...



BUT...

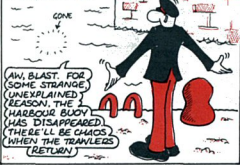


AND SO...

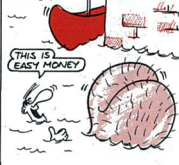


CRUMBS!! I BET THAT VASE COST A SMALL FORTUNE! IT'S A GOOD JOB I'VE GOT MY GIANT MAGIC TESTICLES TO HELP ME GET SOME MONEY TO PAY FOR IT!

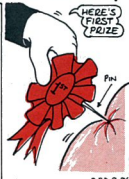
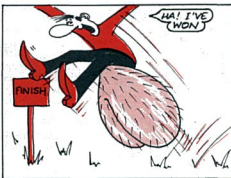
AT THE HARBOUR...



AND SO...



LATER...



LOOK OUT KIDS!!
HERE COMES

KENNY

THERE'S DOBLES
OF RIVER STAFF
AT HIS LOCAL PUB
AND GETS THE
BOMB BASHA OUT!
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I'M A
CHIRPY COCKNEY
CHARACTER
SQUIRE!

KEN IS GOING TO THE PUB...

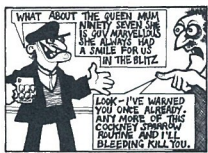


I'LL HAVE
A BINT OF
CHAS & DAVE
PLAY
KEG
COCKNEY
ALE



MIND YOU GUV - THE RUB-A-DUBS
AREN'T WHAT THEY WAS DURING THE
BLITZ STRIKE A LIGHT AND
NO MISTAKE, SQUIRE DON'T
TALK TO ME ABOUT THE
BLEEDING WAR LEAVE
IT OUT COR LUMME

JUST BELT UP
YOU GORING
GREAT KNOWANT
COCKNEY GIT.



WHAT ABOUT THE QUEEN MUM
NINETY SEVEN SHE
IS GUV MARVELLOUS
SHE ALWAYS HAD
A SMILE FOR US
IN THE BLITZ

LOOK - I'VE WARNED
YOU ONCE ALREADY.
ANY MORE OF THIS
COCKNEY SPARRAW
ROUTING AND I'LL
BLEEDING KILL YOU.



LET'S HAVE A GOOD OLD BARROW
BOY SING-SONG
LIKE WE USED TO
IN THE WAR I'LL
PLAY ME SPOONS
SQUIRE



YOU CAN'T BEAT THE OLD SONGS WE OLD
CHINA I USED TO GO DOWN
THE STEPHEN EMPIRE PARK
TRUNKER AND THE HOBST
COTTON MINSTRELS STUTH
ANY OLD IRON THE
LAMBETH WALK BLIMEY
THEM WAS THE DAYS AND
NO MISTAKE GUV LUMME

RIGHT!!
THAT'S IT.



MY OLD MAN SAID
FOLLOW THE
VAN BUT
DON'T...

WHERE'S
MY RIFLE?



LEAVE IT OUT GUV
BLIMEY REMEMBER
THE BLITZ WHAT
ABOUT THE
DUNKIRK SPIRIT
SQUIRE BLIMEY...

THE END.

THE
REMARKABLE MIND
OF
DAVID
BEERGLASS



GOOD EVENING, LADIES AND GENTLEMEN



"LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,
WELCOME TO THE STRANGE
WORLD OF MY REMARKABLE
MIND..."

NUMBERS. I ALWAYS FIND THEM
SUCH REMARKABLE THINGS. NOW,
I WOULD LIKE TO SHARE WITH YOU
A LITTLE EXPERIMENT INVOLVING
NUMBERS...

SO PLEASE, LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,
WOULD YOU JOIN ME AS ONCE AGAIN
WE EXPLORE THE FASCINATING
WORLD OF MY REMARKABLE MIND?"



I HAVE HERE, LADIES
AND GENTLEMEN, A
QUITE ORDINARY PIECE
OF CARD...

AND NOW, HERE, ONTO THE CARD
I WRITE A NUMBER... JUST ONE
ORDINARY NUMBER... LIKE SO.

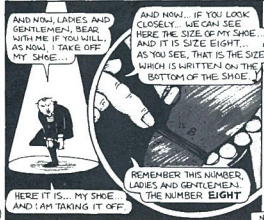
AND NOW, I PUT
THE CARD INTO
AN ENVELOPE

EXAMINE IT, IF YOU WILL,
AND WE SEE THAT IS IN
EVERY WAY ORDINARY...



NOW, LADIES
AND GENTLEMEN, WE
CLOSE THE
ENVELOPE. IT
IS COMPLETELY
SEALED

A CLOSED ENVELOPE. NO
WAY I CAN SEE INSIDE,
AND OF COURSE NO WAY
I CAN SEE THE NUMBER
WHICH IS WRITTEN IN THERE.



AND NOW, LADIES
AND GENTLEMEN, BEAR
WITH ME IF YOU WILL.
AS NOW, I TAKE OFF
MY SHOE...

HERE IT IS... MY SHOE...
AND I AM TAKING IT OFF.

AND NOW... IF YOU LOOK
CLOSELY, WE CAN SEE
HERE THE SIZE OF MY SHOE...
AND IT IS SIZE EIGHT...
AS YOU SEE, THAT IS THE SIZE
WHICH IS WRITTEN ON THE
BOTTOM OF THE SHOE

REMEMBER THIS NUMBER,
LADIES AND GENTLEMEN.
THE NUMBER EIGHT



AND NOW... I OPEN THIS
ENVELOPE, THE SEALED
ENVELOPE, AND WHAT
DO WE FIND WRITTEN
ON THE CARD
INSIDE?

IT IS... THE
NUMBER
EIGHT!!

YES, QUITE REMARKABLE.
LADIES AND GENTLEMEN.
THANK YOU, AND GOODNIGHT.

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HIS SHOE SIZE BY HIS INSIDE LEG MEASUREMENT, AND GET 224

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CAN I GO HOME NOW MR FINCHLEY? IT'S AFTER FIVE-THIRTY.

ALRIGHT... ALRIGHT... JUST A MOMENT!

Helen Bradshaw had looked forward to her job as a secretary on the Youth Training Scheme. But working in an office was not all that she'd imagined it to be.



I SUPPOSE YOU'LL WANT YOUR WAGES NOW, EH?

YES PLEASE MR FINCHLEY



HERE, FOUR POUNDS A WEEK ISN'T IT? LESS DEDUCTIONS... THAT'S £127

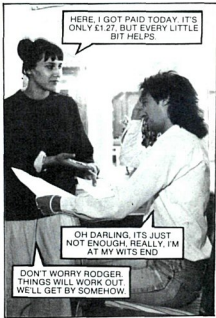
THANKYOU MR FINCHLEY

On her way home Helen began to wonder about her YTS job.

I'M BEGINNING TO WONDER ABOUT THIS YTS JOB. THE JOB CENTRE TOLD ME IT WOULD BE GOOD WORK EXPERIENCE, BUT I HARDLY SEEM TO DO ANY OFFICE WORK AT ALL

When she arrived home Helen found her fiancé, Rodger, up to his neck in unpaid bills.

BILLS, BILLS, BILLS! I'M UP TO MY NECK IN THEM. WE OWE A STAGGERING £4,000, AND MY NEXT DOLE CHEQUE ISN'T GOING TO COVER THAT.

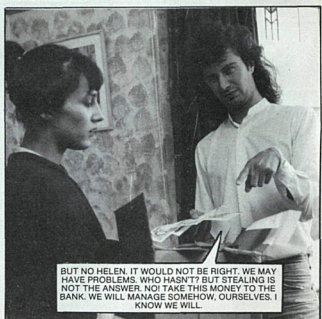


HERE, I GOT PAID TODAY. IT'S ONLY £127, BUT EVERY LITTLE BIT HELPS.

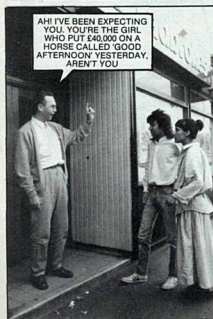
OH DARLING, IT'S JUST NOT ENOUGH, REALLY, I'M AT MY WITS' END

DON'T WORRY RODGER. THINGS WILL WORK OUT. WE'LL GET BY SOMEHOW.

The next day at work...



Reluctantly Helen agreed. Deep in her heart she knew that Rodger was right. She packed the money back into the box and headed for the High Street.



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One Day...

Ho-Ho look at those rascals stealing apples from that tree!



Watch out kids! I'll use my grenade to blow the apples out of the tree...

BoooBoooBUT!!



But we wernt stealing apples - we were merely playing hide and seek with our daddy, he was hiding in that tree



woops!



WAAH!

Later...



Boo-hoo my cat is stranded at the top of that telegraph pole and I fear for his safety!!



I think I may be able to help!!

There is a reward if you bring my poor cat down!!



Walking frame



BOOM

LOB

that should do the trick!



I think a visit to the vet is called for!



Waa! tibby was my only friend!!!

moments later...

Bah! I'll never get this prize leek out of the ground!



Dont despair! stand back and let my grenade do its stuff!



a split second later...

well I'll be...

totally un-harmed



I happen to be extremely wealthy, take this bundle of tenners!



oh goody! today hasnt been a disaster after all!

Now for a feast!!

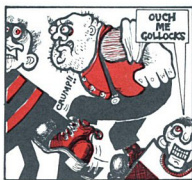
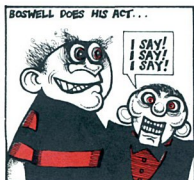
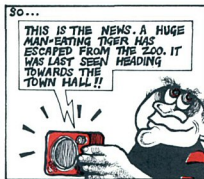
I say, dont forget your grenade!



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TERRY FUCKWITT

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THE SHOPS... BUT I CAN'T
THINK WHAT FOR!



LATER

HI MUM! I'VE GOT
THE CHRISTMAS TREE



BUT IT'S ONLY AUGUST!
CHRISTMAS IS 6 MONTHS
AWAY.

AND BESIDES, I'M NOT YOUR
MOTHER. I'VE NEVER EVEN
MET YOU BEFORE!



FUCK ME. I'M A REAL
DOPE!



SOON...

TERRY. MOW
THE LAWN



LATER...

TERRY. HAVE YOU
FINISHED MOWING
THE LAWN YET?



OOPS! I THOUGHT YOU
SAID "CUT DOWN!
THE TREE"

TERRY. YOU ARE
A HOPELESS BASTARD.

HONESTLY, I DON'T
KNOW WHAT THE
FUCK I'M DOING.



HI TERRY. DO YOU WANT TO BUY
THIS OLD PACKET OF CIGARETTES
FOR £10?



FUCK ME. IT'S
EMPTY!



THANKS TERRY,
YOU DUMB SOD. THIS
CASH WILL COME IN
HANDY!



I'M VERY ANXIOUS TO TEST THIS NEW
CRICKET BAT I HAVE JUST BOUGHT.



AH! HERE COMES TERRY

RUN TOWARDS ME, TERRY, AS IF YOUR HEAD
WAS A SMALL, ROUND CRICKET BALL.
I'M ABOUT TO TEST THIS NEW BAT.



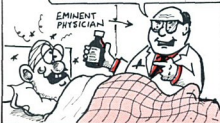
RIGHT YOU ARE



WACK!

LATER, IN HOSPITAL.

TERRY. WHILE YOU'RE HERE I WONDER IF
YOU COULD HELP ME TEST THIS NEW
MEDICINE I'VE BEEN DEVELOPING



EMINENT
PHYSICIAN

GLUG!
GLUG!
GLUG!!!



HMMM. JUST AS I THOUGHT, THE
MEDICINE IS HIGHLY POISONOUS.

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BILLY the FISH

DESPITE BEING BORN HALF-MAN, HALF-FISH, YOUNG BILLY THOMSON HAD MADE THE GOALKEEPER'S JERSEY AT FULCHESTER UNITED HIS OWN.

STRANDED AT SEAN ROUTE TO THEIR EUROPEAN CUP TIE IN DISTANT BOTSLAVIA, FULCHESTER BOSS TOMMY BROWN HAD SENT 'FISH BOY' WANDER BILLY THOMSON ON AHEAD TO KICK-OFF IN THEIR MATCH AGAINST BONGO GDZAZA OUTNUMBERED ELEVEN TO ONE, THOMSON'S BRILLIANT FIRST-HALF DISPLAY HAD EARNED HIS SIDE A HALF-TIME LEAD OF ONE GOAL TO NIL. BUT BONGO BOSS TELLY VEGETABLES IS SET TO MAKE A HALF-TIME TRANSFER SWOOP!

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WELCOME TO BONGO GDZAZA! JUST SIGN HERE, AND WHEN THE SECOND HALF KICKS-OFF YOU'LL BE A BONGO PLAYER!

BUT... BILLY THOMSON, AS A PART-TIME MEMBER OF THE BOTSLAVIAN SECRET SERVICE, I ARREST YOU FOR SPYING

WHAT THE...?

YOU HAVE JUST SIGNED A WRITTEN CONFESSION TO CRIMES PERPETRATED AGAINST THE BOTSLAVIAN STATE!

GUARDS, TAKE HIM AWAY. YOU WON'T GET AWAY WITH THIS!

OH YES I WILL! YOU WILL BE TRANSPORTED TO A REMOTE BOTSLAVIAN PEPPER MINE, LEAVING THE UNGUARDED FULCHESTER GOAL AT OUR MERCY DURING THE SECOND PERIOD!!

SOON THE SECOND HALF IS UNDERWAY.

WITH NO OPPOSITION AT ALL, WE SHOULD BE ABLE TO DOMINATE THE GAME IN THE NEXT CRUCIAL 45 MINUTES

THIS IS AN IDEAL OPPORTUNITY FOR US TO REVERSE OUR ONE GOAL DEFICIT

BUT WITH BONGO NOW THE CLEAR FAVOURITES, THE PRESSURE ON THEM BEGINS TO TELL...

OH NO! I'VE MISSED AN OPEN GOAL!

BOO!

WHAT A LOAD OF RUBBISH!

AFTER A STRING OF MISSED CHANCES AND WITH ONLY SECONDS REMAINING, BONGO ARE STILL A GOAL BEHIND.

AGGH! I'M UNDER SO MUCH PRESSURE TO DO WELL I CAN HARDLY CONTROL THE BALL!

UH!

A FINAL CHANCE FALLS TO THE BONGO CAPTAIN!

THIS COULD BE OUR LAST CHANCE. I MUST MAKE IT COUNT.

TAP!

AT LAST, HERE COMES THE EQUALIZER!

BUT AS HIS EFFORT APPROACHES THE FULCHESTER NET...

SAVED ON THE LINE!

BOOT!

DAMN! FULCHESTER HAVE ARRIVED AT THE ELEVENTH HOUR

GOSH! IT LOOKS LIKE WE GOT HERE JUST IN TIME, LADS!

AND AS THE FINAL WHISTLE BLEW

WELL TOMMY, WE WON ONE-NIL

YES, A GOOD RESULT UNDER THE CIRCUMSTANCES. BUT WHAT HAS BECOME OF BILLY THOMSON, OUR VANISHING FISH-LIKE KEEPER?

MEANWHILE, IN A REMOTE PEPPER MINE IN BLEAK NORTHERN BOTSLAVIA...

BILLY THOMSON!

YES

A LETTER FOR YOU

I DON'T BELIEVE IT! IT'S FROM ENGLAND SUPREMO ROBBIE BORSON. HE'S CHOSEN ME TO PLAY FOR ENGLAND... TOMORROW!

WILL BILLY ESCAPE IN TIME TO MAKE HIS INTERNATIONAL DEBUT, OR IS THIS THE END OF HIS FOOTBALL CAREER? - SEE ISSUE 21!

KILL THE THUGS!

By Bob Liar & Mick Crap

Britain's army of football hooligans should be birched and executed. That was the almost unanimous verdict of SEVERAL members of the British public in a survey which was carried out recently.

Disgusted by the behaviour of the mindless thugs, LOTS of people are demanding:

- **STIFFER** penalties, and
- **TOUGHER** measures, in order to curb trouble on the terraces.

TOUGHER

And among the many suggestions we received were tougher controls at the turnstiles.

"Why not only let 48 fans into the ground at a time" suggested Norman Thomson, a bus driver from Luton. "That's the system we use on the buses, and we never get any bother".

TIGHTER

Other people suggested **TIGHTER** security measures. "Strip fans to their underpants before they enter the ground, then burn their shoes", said Mrs Dorothy Squires of Ebchester.

'Sprinkle them with agricultural chemicals'

Increasing the minimum ticket prices to £175 was another popular idea, while Mrs Anne Barker of Rotherhyde was in favour of sprinkling fans with agricultural chemicals as they entered the ground.

A **GOOD MANY** people we spoke to were in favour of tougher sentences for convicted football hooligans.

"Birch them to within an inch of their lives", said Glenda Jones, a bank clerk from Ryegate.



Dorothy Squires - 'Strip them'



Anne Barker - 'Chemicals'



Tom McGuire - 'Experiments'



Muriel Rowntree - 'Gas them'

"Put them in cages and experiment on them", said Tom McGuire, a retired car park attendant from Slough. "Put shampoo in their eyes and interfere with their hormone levels. That would put a stop to their nonsense", he told us.

But of all the people we spoke to, a staggering **FAIR FEW** demanded **CAPITAL PUNISHMENT** for convicted trouble makers.

"Birch them, make them pick up all the litter, then gas them", said Mrs Muriel Rowntree of Evesham, whose kitchen window was broken by football hooligans two years ago.

PENALTIES

When we spoke to Peter, a football hooligan from Leeds, he told us that stiffer penalties like the birch would certainly make him think twice about causing trouble.

FREE KICKS

"If they brought back the birch I would certainly think twice about causing trouble", he told us. "In fact I'd probably smarten myself up, stop going to football matches and go out and find a job straight away", he admitted.

BUT HOW ARE WE GOING TO DO IT?

KILLING PEOPLE is the answer to the current crime wave which is sweeping the UK. That was the resounding view of a **GOOD MANY** people questioned in our recent survey.

But despite the growing lobby for the return of capital punishment, the British public are divided on which method of execution they would favour.

HANGING

The most popular techniques are of course hanging, gas and lethal injection, with the guillotine and electric chair also in the running. But we thought up three slightly unusual ways of killing people and asked you, the public, to choose between them.

Of the people we spoke to:

By Charlie Pontoon

- **SEVERAL** favoured the firing squad.
- **A FEW** voted for drowning
- **THE REST** plumped for death by stoning.

SHOT

But although the firing squad was a popular choice, you weren't so sure about **WHERE** the victims should be shot.

- **78%** said in the chest
- **15%** said aim for the head
- **5%** favoured the lower abdomen

Shoot them in the lower abdomen

while the remaining 2 per cent went for a groin shot.

KEEL HAULLED

Can you think of a good way of killing people? It could be one you've heard about, or perhaps one you thought up yourself. Why not write and tell your MP. Mark your envelope **'IDEAS FOR CAPITAL PUNISHMENT'** and address it to your local MP, c/o The Houses of Parliament, London.

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SMACKING KISS

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So why don't YOU join in the hunt for Lucky Lucy. She could be in YOUR local post box!

HOLIDAY BOB'S HOLIDAY CHAOS

A package holiday on a paradise island soon went sour for Bob Jones and his wife Teresa.

By Billy Bunkham

For Bob claims that their one week stay spelt disaster from day one. He told us how they:

*** LOST** their baggage in the sea when they were made to parachute out of an aeroplane.

*** BROKE** several bones landing on the island, which had no airport.

TESTS

At their hotel the Jones found it impossible to sleep due to nuclear weapon tests being carried out on the island by the French government.

"It was like Fawlt Towers", Bob told us. "There were enormous banging noises and bright flashes of light all night long".

HAIR LOSS

After two nights on the island Bob's wife Teresa began to suffer nausea and vomiting,

and soon afterwards Bob's gums began to bleed. The next day Teresa was swimming in the hotel's pool when she suffered dramatic hair loss.

"The food was absolutely awful", Bob told us. "And there was dirt in our bedrooms". The next day the couple decided to pack their bags and leave.

DIED

But Bob was in for another surprise, when, on the boat journey home his wife Teresa died.

Now, back home in Wakefield, Bob has written to the travel firm listing over a dozen complaints. And as for next year, he doubts whether he'll be venturing abroad. "I think I might just stay at home and do a bit of gardening", he told us.

Your Shaky Poems are fab!

We've had a fantastic response to our request for 'Shakin' Stevens poems in the last issue. Shaky fans all over the country put pen to paper to pay tribute to their idol. Here are the two entries we received:

*Oh Shaky, oh Shaky,
Take me, oh take me,
Behind the green door-
you hot dog,
and give me your heart tonight
in an envelope.*

-Pippa Goldworthy
Lemington Spa

*Oh Shakey, Oh Shakey, Oh Shakey, Oh Shake
I love all the sounds in the records you make
I adore your pink jackets and shiney white shoes
If I were Eve, you're the Adam I'd chose
Whether singing or dancing you are the one
Who'll still be in business when the others are gone
Oh Shakey, Oh Quakey, takey me away
When I listen to you rockin', my hips start to sway
Oh Rakey, Oh Wakey, Oh Shakey I beg
Won't you come to my house and wobble your legs*

-Neil Nixon
Carlisle

We decided that the difficult task of choosing a winner should go to Shaky himself, so we sent him the poems several weeks ago. However, we haven't yet received a reply.

JACK SPRATT AND HIS DEAD RAT



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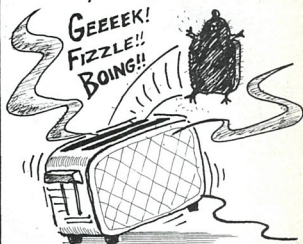
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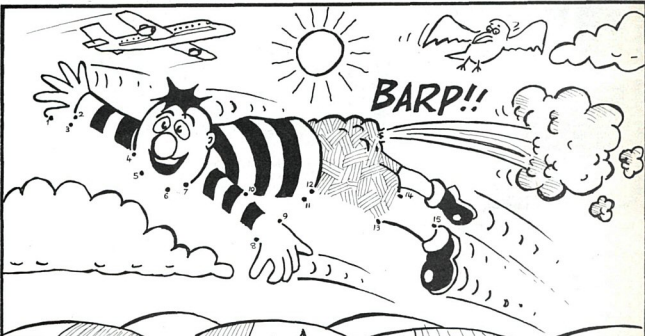
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DOT-TO-DOT COMPETITION

Instead of having an advert in this issue, we've decided to have a 'Dot-to-Dot' competition. They're harder to draw than we thought, so it's not very good. But can you identify the popular comic character in the picture? Join the dots to reveal his identity!

Then colour in the picture. Whoever sends us the best completed picture will win a chance to take home as many records as they can carry! Because the winner will be given 2 minutes to buy as many records and tapes as they can from the Volume Record Shop! Think of all those records. Send your entries to us at the following address, or just pop in and spend some money.



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7	THE SINGING CURTAINS 100 pesetas Up (Rotund Records)
8	JERRY THE FERRET 1p The Music Goes On And On (EP) (Dead Horse)
9	
10	

FLOP TEN! Cash slump hits chart



We've had a disappointing low crop of entries in this issue's Top Ten chart — only eight in all, with very few groups managing to muster a solid cash bribe.

Top of the rather shabby pile are The Flatmates with a commendable effort of £10.95. But the unlucky Bristol 4-piece could have saved themselves a few quid had they known that a fiver was the next best sum on offer. That came from the wallet of dreamy pop sensation Rock Hard (pictured) and gave him the number two slot. The Huge Corporation's ten inch EP featuring top groups Sister Crow, This Yabis, Ten Days That Shook The World and Land Of The Giants comes crawling in at number three, fueled by a mediocre £3.05.

Two notably poor efforts were The Singing Curtains, whose 100 peseta note wasn't worth a trip to the bank, and Jerry The Ferret, whose gift of a Superman balloon was valued at only 1p, as it had a hole in it.

If you're a group or an artist setting out on the long hard road to pop success, you can take a step in the right direction by getting yourself in the Viz Top Ten chart. If you have a record, send it to Viz Top Ten, Viz Comic, Viz House, 16 Lily Crescent, Newcastle upon Tyne, NE2 2SP, and enclose a cash sum or valuable gift. But hurry. Entries are already flooding in for our Christmas Chart!

7 and 12 INCH... OUT NOW... on PLAGUE

YEP You guessed right... ALIEN SEX FIEND.

SHIT

"Number TWO in my all time faves. (JOHNNY PARTPANTS) "We will have to LOOK into this... (The Bottom Inspectors)"

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NOW. MY HARD WORKING HUBBY AND
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THEIR STEW. OH HERE THEY ARE
NOW. MY HARD WORKING HUBBY AND
MY LOVELY TWO KIDDOES

MY EVER
FAMILY. IVE EVEN
INGREDIENT TO SPICE...

GRUB SMELLS
EVER SO YUMMY
MUMMY!

GOOD SHOW MUMMY!

GRUB SMELLS
EVER SO YUMMY
MUMMY!

mm. TASTES SLIGHTLY BITTER. BUT WERE A WHOLESOME 20th CENTURY FAMILY WE CAN TAKE IT WITH A SMILE.

OH MY GOD. MY
THROATS ON FIRE....
AAAH.. MY STOMACHS
EXPLODING!

OOH!  AAAHH!

DARLING
WHY

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Polly Willson met her best friend Joan Jackson at nursery school. They had grown up together loving each other as only the closest of friends do. When Joan emigrated to North America Polly vowed...

I'LL NEVER FORGET YOU



Time flew by and before she knew it Polly was at the airport...



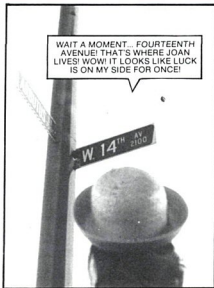
OH DEAR, I DON'T THINK INTERNATIONAL AIR TRAVEL IS GOING TO BE AS EASY AS I THOUGHT... THESE SIGNS ARE MOST CONFUSING.

Hopelessly lost Polly wandered the unfamiliar streets, her mind filled with deep sadness and emotional confusion...

IT LOOKS LIKE WE ARE DESTINED TO NEVER MEET AGAIN JOAN. I'M SO CLOSE TO YOU, BUT YET SO FAR AWAY.



WAIT A MOMENT... FOURTEENTH AVENUE! THAT'S WHERE JOAN LIVES! WOW! IT LOOKS LIKE LUCK IS ON MY SIDE FOR ONCE!



It was five years later that Polly received a surprise in the post...



IT'S FROM JOANI OOH! SHE'S BOUGHT A HOUSE AND WANTS ME TO COME AND STAY! OH GOSHI A HOLIDAY IN AMERICA!

OH JOANI! HOW WONDERFUL. I'VE SAVED UP FOR YEARS FOR THIS DAY! I WONDER HOW YOU'VE CHANGED.

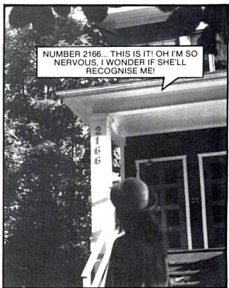


Polly eventually managed to board the right flight, but she was to find her troubles far from over on the other side of the Atlantic as she tried to find her long lost friend's house...



OH MY! PERHAPS I SHOULD HAVE GOT A TAXI. THE STREETS ON THIS MAP JUST SEEM TO HAVE NUMBERS INSTEAD OF NAMES!

NUMBER 2166... THIS IS IT! OH I'M SO NERVOUS, I WONDER IF SHE'LL RECOGNISE ME!



Polly trembled as she climbed the steps. What would Joan look like after five years? Would they still love each other?...

MARY! I DIDN'T EXPECT YOU SO SOON!

JOAN!

So much seemed to have changed, there were so many questions to ask, their first conversation was very strained...

OH JOAN, IT'S SO NICE TO SEE YOU! YOU'VE HAD YOUR HAIR CUT HAVEN'T YOU?

IT'S SWELL TO SEE YOU MARY, HAS BELGIUM CHANGED MUCH?

GOLLY! SHE LOOKS SO DIFFERENT... AND SHE SEEMS TO KEEP CALLING ME MARY!

I HAD NO IDEA WHAT THIS TIME APART WOULD DO TO US, WHY IS SHE SO MIXED UP ABOUT MY NAME? JOAN SOUNDS NOTHING LIKE ZINA!

YOU SURE SPEAK ENGLISH REAL WELL NOW MARY!

SHE MUST THINK I SOUND VERY ENGLISH AFTER HEARING AMERICANS FOR SO LONG... I SUPPOSE.

WE'VE BOTH CHANGED JOAN, BUT I'M SURE WE WILL COME TO KNOW AND LOVE EACH OTHER AS WE ONCE DID ALL THOSE YEARS AGO

Before long the two girls began to feel more comfortable with each other and they started to make the most of their time together...

TODAY WE'LL TAKE A BUS INTO THE MOUNTAINS AND LOOK DOWN ON THE CITY, IT'S REAL CUTE!

I DON'T MIND WHERE WE GO JOAN, AS LONG AS IT'S BOTH OF US TOGETHER, LIKE THE OLD TIMES.

THIS'LL BE SWELL HUH MARY? JUST LIKE THE OLD SCHOOL BUS!

I'M SURE WE USED TO GET A TRAIN TO SCHOOL... HMMM.

OH JOAN, I'M ENJOYING MY HOLIDAY SO MUCH, THIS AWESOME SIGHT FROM THE MOUNTAINS - MAKING THE CITY LOOK SO TINY - IS NOTHING COMPARED TO OUR STEADFAST AND UNDYING LOVE AND FRIENDSHIP FOR ONE AND ANOTHER.

The weather was glorious as the girls eventually began to feel that they really knew each other once again...

SURE, WE'RE REAL GOOD BUDDIES!

Polly became more and more happy as each day passed, but the time seemed to go too quickly, and the night before she left she lay alone in bed feeling that her holiday was in some way incomplete...

I'M SURE THAT SOMETHING IS WRONG, BUT I CAN'T QUITE PUT MY FINGER ON IT!



The next morning, her case packed, Polly waited for the taxi that was to take her to the airport. The tears began to fall as the girls realised that this might be their last goodbye...

OH JOAN, I DIDN'T EVER WANT TO LEAVE YOU AGAIN... I LOVE YOU JOAN... I'LL NEVER FORGET YOU.

I KNOW YOU WON'T MARY, I LOVE YOU A WHOLE BUNCH TOO, SO LONG!



Polly checked her bags in at the airport and decided to take a stroll round the nearby shops to pass the time before her flight...

I KNOW THAT FACE... YES, I'M ALMOST SURE!



EEEEEEK! I DON'T BELIEVE IT... JOAN! ITS YOU!

I'M SORRY, DO I KNOW YOU?



OF COURSE YOU DO, I'M YOUR BEST FRIEND, POLLY WILLSON. I'M ON MY WAY HOME NOW, BUT I THOUGHT I'D BEEN STAYING WITH YOU! I WAS AT 2166 FOURTEENTH AVENUE! WHO WAS THAT GIRL?

OH POLLY, YOU SILLY THING! YOU MUST HAVE GONE TO WEST FOURTEENTH! I LIVE AT 2166 EAST FOURTEENTH!



NEVER MIND, I KNOW ZINA — THE GIRL WHO LIVES THERE — SHE TOLD ME THAT HER FRIEND MARY WAS COMING OVER FROM BELGIUM. IT LOOKS LIKE A CASE OF MISTAKEN IDENTITY! I'LL TELL HER WHAT A SILLY MISTAKE SHE'S MADE. I THOUGHT I HAD MY DATES MIXED UP WHEN YOU DIDN'T ARRIVE!



IT LOOKS LIKE WE'VE ALL BEEN A BIT SILLY, I'VE A PLANE TO CATCH NOW, I MUST BE GOING.

OH POLLY, AT LEAST WE'VE SEEN EACH OTHER IF ONLY FOR THIS BRIEF MOMENT!



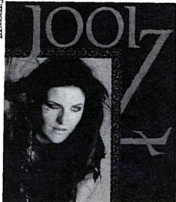
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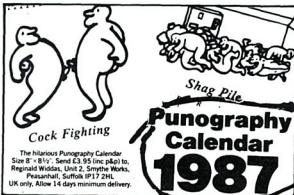
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SHORTLY...

WELL PIERE, IT LOOKS AS IF WE CAN GET UP TO A MULTITUDE OF TROUSER COUGHING PRANKS!



I KNOW PIERE 'E'LL TAKE HALF OF MUM'S WASHING EACH AND SEE WHO CAN DRY IT WITH THE LEAST BUM-BLASTS!



MY BEST BET IS PROBABLY TO TRY A HIGH-PRESSURE SUDEN RELEASE BUM EXPLOSION TYPE PARP.



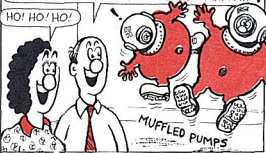
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